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Zerfu Hailu, Fentahun Mengistu & Belayneh Ayele, Ethiopia How to Build-up a University Partnership with Austria? An Ethiopian Perspective.

> Wednesday 6 March, 2013 18:00 OeAD, Ebendorferstraße 7, 1010 Vienna

Speakers:



Zerfu Hailu completed his PhD at the BOKU in 2002 and has more than 25 years of experiences in the area of sustainable land management. Currently he works as a deputy team leader and national land administration adviser of the project Responsible and Innovative Land Administrations.



Fentahun Mengistu completed his PhD at the BOKU in 2008 and has more than 20 years of experiences in crop protection and horticultural crops research. Since April 2008 he is serving as director general of the Amhara Regional Agricultural Research Institute.



Belayneh Ayele completed his PhD at the BOKU in 2010 and he is a natural resource management expert. Since 2011 he is the head of the College of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences at Bahir Dar University.

Chair: Téclaire Ngo Tam, Südwind

The three alumni are team members of the **appear** project >TRANSACT - Strengthening Rural Transformation Competences of Higher Education and Research Institutions in the Amhara Region, Ethiopia<. Such transformation competences demand institutional capacities that translate into new partnerships and learning alliances, allowing higher education and research to become more effective development partners and community service providers in the Amhara region. This project is a joint initiative of two Ethiopian universities, one agricultural research organization, one Austrianfunded rural development program and one Austrian university.

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